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# UNITED STATES ESPALIER NURSERY, INC.

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## *Espalier "Vine" Fruit Trees*

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*Gentlemen:*

The gardens of the old world, especially the smaller places, where space is lacking, depend on Espalier trees, which, as they are ideal for landscape work, have become decidedly one of the greatest assets to modern gardening.

The Espalier type of fruit tree is field grown in the vicinity of Portland, Oregon, by the United States Espalier Nursery, Inc. They are hardy and adaptable to a wide variety of soils and will do well in all localities where other fruit trees are grown. A wall, trellis, building, or pergola can be shown off to no better advantage than with Espaliers planted against it. Many homes are creating arbors and outdoor living rooms, for which the true Espalier is used in the formation of walls. When in bloom, they present a gorgeous array of lovely blossoms.

*The fruit is actually richer in flavor and juicier than the same varieties grown on standard trees.*

To every home, whether it be large or small, the Espalier fruit tree furnishes the opportunity to add that distinctive touch of grace and beauty that has found such a welcome all over Europe.

Fill out the enclosed card listing the varieties you desire and the amount of each and return it to us—soon. The trees cannot be shipped between April 1 and November 1.

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*H. C. Staub.*





This apple tree is only two years old with fruit as heavy as one pound each. You will not need a ladder to pick the fruit, for the tree is less than three feet tall.



"Palmette" pear tree in training process at our nursery. It is only three years old and bears large and delicious fruit.



Four-year-old apple tree with horizontal branches. Here is economy combined with artistic effect.

## A RARE TREAT *from* SWITZERLAND

More than 60 years of trial and research in Switzerland has brought this type of fruit tree to perfection. Through importation of foundation and budding stock from European sources, and several years of trial along the lines of acclimatization, the United States Espalier Nursery, Inc., has succeeded in establishing Espaliers in the Pacific Northwest, from which center they can be distributed to all parts of the United States.

Starting with scions of one of the select varieties from which genuine Espalier trees can be produced, it takes from seven to eight years of propagation to produce scions adaptable to Espalier training. These shoots are grown, then, not on the root stocks used for most standard fruit varieties, but on roots of an entirely different character, giving an exceptionally strong root foundation. The combination develops not only the tendency to produce fruit while the tree is very young, but fruit that is large in size, better in color, with a superior flavor and a meat structure of fine quality.

Espaliers will appeal to growers who like to care for their own gardens as well as to owners of large estates where professional gardeners are in charge. Complete instructions and illustrations concerning the care of Espalier fruit trees will be furnished free of charge to all purchasers of our trees.



# Beautify Your Home with Espalier Trees



These separate vertical cordons can also be planted single with striking effect. They illustrate the extreme in space economy which can be gained with true Espaliers.

THE gardens of the old world, especially the smaller places where space is lacking, depend on Espalier trees for much of their more tender varieties of fruit. It is a tree which will produce an abundance of fruit in proportion to its trunk and leaf growth.



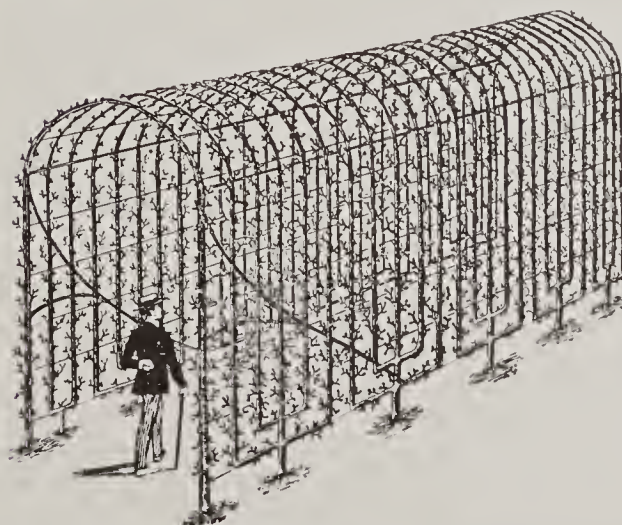
Fan shaped Espalier peach tree in blossom in Berne, Switzerland.



Artistic effect achieved with Espalier pear tree in Portland, Oregon



Double stemmed, fan-trained apple tree, two years old, bearing fruit.



The variety of shapes possible with genuine Espaliers has no limit. As readily formed as a row of single branchless cordons is a luxurious arbor, shady, beautiful and productive.

An ESPALIER TREE represents ECONOMY as well as BEAUTY



# VARIETIES OF ESPALIER FRUIT TREES

## Apples

**ALLINGTON PEPPING:** A late medium-large, striped red and yellow apple. Excellent for dessert.

**GRAVENSTEIN:** A large attractive orange-yellow apple overlaid with stripes of red. Early.

**ANANAS:** A late medium large golden yellow apple of fine flavor.

**CLEAR or YELLOW TRANSPARENT:** A very early medium large, pale yellow apple. Abundant bearer.

**SPITZENBERG:** Medium to large fruit, deep red, flesh yellow, crisp, subacid and highly flavored.

**JONATHAN:** Medium large. Tree very beautiful. Fruit yellow, covered with lively yellow patches. A late apple.

**CANADA RENETTE:** Large lemon-yellow with red splashes. Flesh firm, rich, juicy and finely flavored. Good bearer. A late apple.

**MONTROSE:** A large apple, red striped, heavy bearer. November.

**GOLDEN DELICIOUS:** Golden yellow apple of the delicious variety.

**BERNER ROSE:** A medium large, deep red and very sweet apple. Heavy bearer. Nov., Dec.

**ROME BEAUTY:** Smooth, round apple, looks like the Gravenstein but with more color. A fall apple, white meat of fine flavor.

## Pears

**PASTOREN:** A late pear with excellent fruit. Large, lemon-yellow, with soft blush. An excellent keeper, fine grained and juicy.

**GELLERT BUTTER PEAR:** An early fall pear, large lemon-yellow overspread with cinnamon russet. Very juicy and sweet.

**WILLIAM'S BUTTER PEAR:** Similar to the Bartlett. Large fine fruit but without the musky flavor of the Bartlett. Rich yellow with faint blush on exposed cheek. Delicious flavor. Early fall.

**TREVOUX:** A large lemon-yellow early pear.

## Plums and Prunes

**FOREST ROSE:** Large round fruit. Beautiful dark red. August.

A few other varieties of very limited number.

**EARLY ZIMMERS:** Medium large fruit. Yellow flesh, skin purple blue. Free stone. Ripening season: Aug.

**REINE CLAUDE:** Large delicious fruit. Dark purple. August.

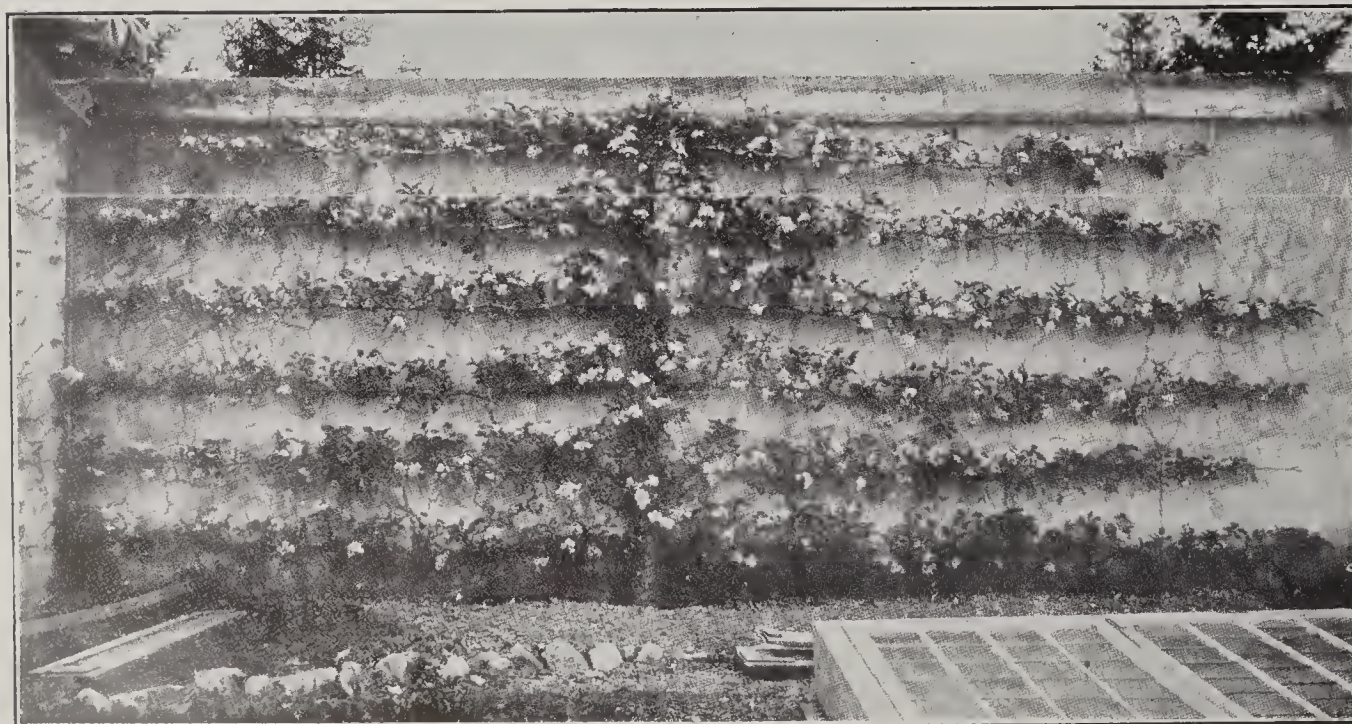
**KIRKE:** Large, crimson-violet. Rich flavor. August.

**ITALIAN PRUNE:** A fine late prune. Oval, purple fruit. Juicy and very productive. Delicious. September.

## Cherries

**OSTHEIMER WEICHSEL:** A hardy cherry. Fruit large, skin deep red turning to dark red at maturity. Classed as a sour cherry, it is much sweeter and juicier than the ordinary pie cherry. Unsurpassed for jam, jelly or pie. Will not split in rainy weather. July.

**LOT:** Very similar to the Ostheimer Weichsel, but ripening a little later.



T-shaped Espalier pear tree in blossom. A lovely ornamental covering for wall or side of house.

## Special Mixture of Fertilizers

To encourage richer fruit bearing where ground is poor and lacking proper nourishment, may be obtained at 50 cents per package, from

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# Be Sure You Plant Genuine Espalier Fruit Trees